Amendments to the Specification:

Please amend the specification as follows:

Please replace the first paragraph on page 1, lines 4-5, with the following rewritten paragraph:

This invention relates to a service identification tag and a communications system using ~~this~~ the service identification tag.

Please replace the second paragraph on page 1, lines 8-16, with the following replacement paragraph:

On the Internet, each information-processing unit (server) has a specific IP (Internet protocol) address (accessed party information). In accessing or communicating with ~~other~~ another information-processing unit, location of the information processing unit on the computer network is specified on the IP address. The IP address is a TCP/IP protocol address, and is defined by a sequence of network number and each (host) computer number, which are totally 32 bits in length. It is represented by four numbers with dots inserted therebetween, for example, 192. 244. 177. 11.

Please replace the paragraph bridging pages 2 and 3 (page 2, line 24 to page 3, line 4), with the following replacement paragraph:

To remove these drawbacks, Japanese published patent application ~~laid-open~~ No. 9-204389 (1997) suggests an information-processing unit (prior art 1). The information-processing unit comprises a receiving means for receiving accessed party information to be sent from a reading unit to read the accessed party information described in a publication, and a control means for giving the accessed party information to an application for accessing information and

controlling the application to access the information based on the accessed party information received by the receiving means.

Please replace the second full paragraph on page 3, lines 11-26, with the following replacement paragraph:

Japanese published patent application ~~laid-open~~ No. 10.78928 (1998) discloses a system for accessing the Internet. In this system, in accessing the Internet using URL for access to information sources located on the network from an access unit such as a PC, computer, a computer game device and home ~~electric~~ electronic appliances, a 10-digit number relatively short is in advance assigned to the URL being represented by a letter string, to the first upper digit and the second to fifth upper digits, arbitrary numerals are assigned based on a correspondence table of numeral corresponding to alphabet and reference value and a correspondence table of alphabet to digit number which are prepared in advance. Further, according to need, in like manner, arbitrary numerals are assigned to the sixth, seventh and eighth to tenth upper digits. Thus, without being aware of the long and complex letter string URL, the user can access the Internet only by inputting the relatively short number corresponding to the URL. Furthermore, the access data can be also used as statistical processing information.